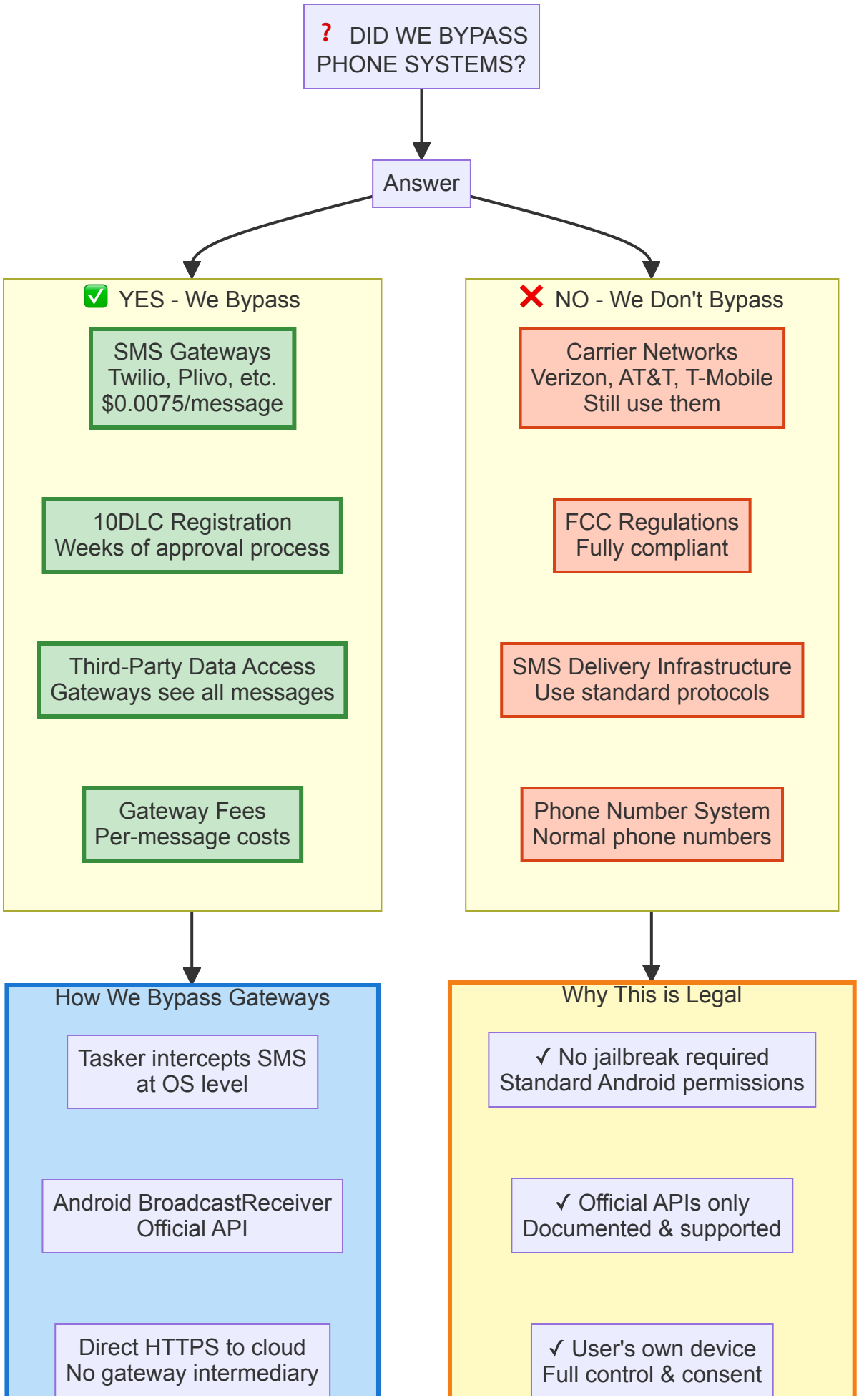
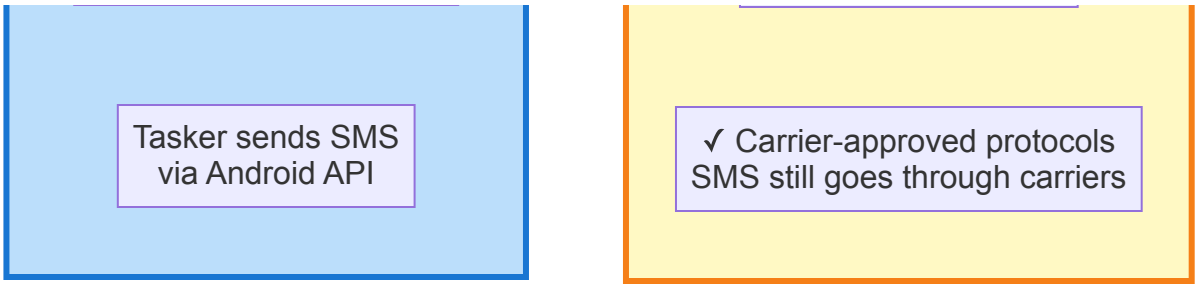
DIAGRAM 24: Did We Bypass Phone Systems? (John's Question)


❓ DID WE BYPASS PHONE SYSTEMS?
Answer
✅ YES - We Bypass
SMS Gateways
Twilio, Plivo, etc.
$0.0075/message
10DLC Registration
Weeks of approval process
Third-Party Data Access
Gateways see all messages
Gateway Fees
Per-message costs
❌ NO - We Don't Bypass
Carrier Networks
Verizon, AT&T, T-Mobile
Still use them
FCC Regulations
Fully compliant
SMS Delivery Infrastructure
Use standard protocols
Phone Number System
Normal phone numbers
How We Bypass Gateways
Tasker intercepts SMS
at OS level
Android BroadcastReceiver
Official API
Direct HTTPS to cloud
No gateway intermediary
Why This is Legal
✓ No jailbreak required
Standard Android permissions
✓ Official APIs only
Documented & supported
✓ User's own device
Full control & consent


Tasker sends SMS
via Android API
✓ Carrier-approved protocols
SMS still goes through carriers